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Applicant: Alexander C. Ranous et al. Examiner: Barbara Burgess
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Title: INTERNET USAGE DATA RECORDING SYSTEM AND METHOD
EMPLOYING DISTRIBUTED DATA PROCESSING AND DATA
STORAGE

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 22, 2003, Applicants hereby elect the species of Group I without traverse. Claims 1-10, 21-29 and 36-39 are drawn to Group I.

Having thus addressed the Restriction Requirement imposed by the Examiner, reconsideration of the pending claims is respectfully requested.

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